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**PATENT**  
Case Docket No. IMSCI2.004A

In re application of : Aristo Vojdani  
App. No. : 10/005,710  
Filed : November 8, 2001  
For : SALIVA IMMUNOASSAY FOR  
DETECTION OF ANTIBODIES FOR  
CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE  
Examiner : Bao Thuy L. Nguyen  
Art Unit : 1641

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment** in the above-identified application.

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following arguments.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.